

The 2018 Oklahoma City Exit Poll

N=1,359

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The Oklahoma City Election Day Exit Poll was conducted on November 6, 2018. The survey was fielded to 1,359 voters from twelve precincts at eight polling locations in OKC. Students from the University of Oklahoma acted as survey enumerators. Voters were randomly sampled as they exited the precinct and offered the chance to participate in the survey.

The survey instrument contains the full questions, the codes for the responses, and the variable label in the data file.

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Q1 Precinct Number

- 066 (1)
- 241/243 (2)
- 206 (3)
- 211/212 (4)
- 99/100 (5)
- 196 (6)
- 201 (7)
- 202/203 (8)

Q2 Are you registered with a political party?

- Registered Democrat (1)
- Registered Republican (2)
- Registered Libertarian (3)
- Registered with another party (4)
- Not registered with a party/independent (5)

Q3 What is your gender?

- Man (0)
- Woman (1)

Q4 What is your race? (Mark all that apply)

- White (1)
- Black or African American (2)
- Hispanic or Latino (3)
- Asian American (4)
- Native American or American Indian (5)
- Other (6)

Q5 A straight party vote is a vote for all candidates of that party in partisan races. Did you vote a straight party vote today?

- Yes, Republican Party (1)
- Yes, Libertarian Party (2)
- Yes, Democratic Party (3)
- No, I did not vote a straight party vote today (4)

Skip To: Q10 If Q5 = 1

Skip To: Q10 If Q5 = 2

Skip To: Q10 If Q5 = 3

Q6 In the **congressional** election, who did you just vote for?

- Steve Russell (0)
- Kendra Horn (1)
- I did not vote for a congressional candidate (9)

Q7 In the **gubernatorial** election, who did you just vote for?

- Drew Edmondson (1)
- Kevin Stitt (2)
- Chris Powell (3)
- I did not vote for a gubernatorial candidate. (9)

Q8 In the **state senate** election, who did you just vote for?
(You might not have had a state senate race on your ballot today)

- Republican candidate (2)
- Democratic candidate (1)
- Independent candidate (3)
- I did not vote for a state senate candidate (9)

Q9 In the **state house** election, who did you just vote for?
(You might not have had a state house race on your ballot today)

- Republican candidate (2)
- Democratic candidate (1)
- Libertarian candidate (3)
- I did not vote for a state house candidate (9)

Q10 Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

- Strongly approve (4)
- Somewhat approve (3)
- Neither approve nor disapprove (2)
- Somewhat disapprove (1)
- Strongly disapprove (0)

Q11 Do you favor or oppose Donald Trump's travel ban, which seeks to bar entry to immigrants, including refugees, from Iran, Libya, Syria, Somalia, Yemen, North Korea and Venezuela?

- Strongly favor (4)
- Somewhat favor (3)
- Neither favor nor oppose (2)
- Somewhat oppose (1)
- Strongly oppose (0)

Q12 Between October 1, 2017 and May 31, 2018, at least 2,700 children were separated from their parents after they were apprehended crossing into the United States. Do you favor or oppose this policy?

- Strongly favor (4)
- Somewhat favor (3)
- Neither favor nor oppose (2)
- Somewhat oppose (1)
- Strongly oppose (0)

Q13 How important are each of the following factors in making someone an American?

	Very important (3)	Somewhat important (2)	Somewhat unimportant (1)	Very unimportant (0)
Being a Christian (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being white (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Respecting America's political institutions and laws (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Seeing people of all backgrounds as American (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q14 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree (3)	Somewhat agree (2)	Somewhat disagree (1)	Strongly disagree (0)
The U.S should decrease LEGAL immigration into the country. (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The U.S should decrease ILLEGAL immigration into the country. (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q15 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree (3)	Somewhat agree (2)	Somewhat disagree (1)	Strongly disagree (0)
Most men are better suited emotionally for politics than are most women. (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A man should be in control of his wife. (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A husband's job is to earn money; a wife's job is to look after home and family. (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Women can handle job pressures as well as men can. (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fathers are not as able to care for their sick children as mothers are. (5)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Most women who report sexual harassment are telling the truth. (6)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q16 Do you favor or oppose the Oklahoma law that allows private adoption agencies to place children only with those families living in accordance with that agency's religious or moral principles?

- Strongly favor (3)
- Somewhat favor (2)
- Somewhat oppose (1)
- Strongly oppose (0)

Q17 How worried are you that the American way of life is under threat?

	1	2	3	4	5	
	1 (0)	2 (1)	3 (2)	4 (3)	5 (4)	
Not worried at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very worried

Q18 How much discrimination is there in the United States today against each of the following groups?

	None at all (0)	A little (1)	Some (2)	A lot (3)
Immigrants (Q18_imm)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Whites (Q18_whites)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q19 How much do you trust the following institutions?

	Not at all (0)	Not very much (1)	A fair amount (2)	A great deal (3)
The federal government (Q19_govt)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The media (Q19_media)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q20 On April 2, 2018, teachers across Oklahoma walked out on their jobs and protested at the Capitol to demand higher pay and increased educational spending. Did you support or oppose the walkout?

- Strongly supported (4)
- Somewhat supported (3)
- Neither supported nor opposed (2)
- Somewhat opposed (1)
- Strongly opposed (0)

Q21 In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

- Very liberal (0)
- Liberal (1)
- Moderate (2)
- Conservative (3)
- Very conservative (4)
- Not sure (9)

Q22 What is your annual household income for all members of your family? This figure should include salaries, wages, pensions, dividends, interest, and all other income.

▼ Under \$10,000 (0) ... Over \$200,000 (11)

Q23 Are you the parent or guardian of any children?

- Yes, I have children under 18 (1)
- Yes, all my children are 18 years old or older (2)
- No, I do not have children (0)

Skip To: Q25 If Q23 = 0

Skip To: Q25 If Q23 = 2

Q24 Do any of your children attend public school (Pre-K through 12)?

- Yes (1)
- No, my children attend private school (2)
- No, my children are not of school age (3)
- No, my children are homeschooled (4)

Q25 Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?

- More than once a week (5)
- Once a week (4)
- Once or twice a month (3)
- A few times a year (2)
- Hardly ever (1)
- Never (0)

Q26 Which of these statements comes closest to describing your feeling about the Bible?

- The Bible is the actual word of God and is to be taken literally, word for word (2)
- The Bible is the word of God but not everything in it should be taken literally, word for word (1)
- The Bible is a book written by men and is not the word of God (0)

Q27 The term **transgender woman** is used to describe a person who was assigned male at birth but who identifies as a woman. On a scale of 1 to 5, how warmly do you feel toward **transgender women**?

	1	2	3	4	5	
	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	
Not warm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Warm

Q28 Brett Kavanaugh has been confirmed to the U.S. Supreme Court. Do you favor or oppose his confirmation?

- Strongly favor (4)
- Somewhat favor (3)
- Neither favor nor oppose (2)
- Somewhat oppose (1)
- Strongly oppose (0)

Q29 From what you have heard about the #MeToo movement, do you support or oppose their activism?

- Strongly support (4)
- Somewhat support (3)
- Neither support nor oppose (2)
- Somewhat oppose (1)
- Strongly oppose (0)

Q30 What is the highest level of education you have completed?

- Less than high school diploma (0)
- High school diploma or GED (1)
- Some college or 2-year degree (2)
- 4-year college graduate (3)
- Post-graduate education (4)

Q31 What is your age?

- 18-29 (0)
- 30-44 (1)
- 45-59 (2)
- 60-74 (3)
- 75 or older (4)

Q32 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree (4)	Somewhat agree (3)	Neither agree nor disagree (2)	Somewhat disagree (1)	Strongly disagree (0)
Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class. (Q32_gen)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It's really a matter of some people not trying hard enough; if blacks would only try harder they could be just as well off as whites. (Q32_try)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q33 Since the 2016 Presidential Election, I have:

- Consumed more news (3)
- Consumed the same amount of news (2)
- Consumed less news (1)
- Stopped consuming news all together (0)

Q34 Where would you place yourself on the scale below?

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	1 (0)	2 (1)	3 (2)	4 (3)	5 (4)	6 (5)	7 (6)	
Strong Democrat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strong Republican

Q35 How much do you think that what happens generally to the following groups in this country will have something to do with what happens in your life?

	Not at all (0)	Not very much (1)	Some (2)	A lot (3)
Blacks (Q35_blacks)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Whites (Q35_whites)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hispanics/Latinos (Q35_latinos)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Asian Americans (Q35_asians)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Native Americans (Q35_native)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Legal immigrants (Q35_legal)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Undocumented immigrants (Q35_undoc)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Christians (Q35_christ)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Muslims (Q35_muslims)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q36 Some people trace their family history to other countries and see themselves as immigrants or descended from immigrants. Other people don't see themselves this way. How much do you see yourself as being an immigrant or descended from immigrants?

- Very much (3)
- Somewhat (2)
- A little (1)
- Not at all (0)

Q37 Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:
Generally speaking, America is better than most other countries.

- Strongly agree (4)
- Somewhat agree (3)
- Neither agree nor disagree (2)
- Somewhat disagree (1)
- Strongly disagree (0)

Q38 Do you consider yourself an evangelical or born-again?

- Yes (1)
- No (0)

Q39 Which of the following statements best captures Kevin Stitt's career before running for governor?

- He was an attorney (1)
- He was a state senator (2)
- He was a businessman (3)
- He was a physician (4)
- He was Lieutenant Governor (5)

Q40 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree (4)	Somewhat agree (3)	Neither agree nor disagree (2)	Somewhat disagree (1)	Strongly disagree (0)
Kevin Stitt is well-qualified to be governor. (Q40_1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Kevin Stitt is experienced. (Q40_2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q41 The term **transgender man** is used to describe a person who was assigned female at birth but who identifies as a man. On a scale of 1 to 5, how warmly do you feel toward **transgender men**?

	1	2	3	4	5	
	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	
Not warm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Warm

Q42 Thinking about the candidates you voted for today, do you agree with the following statement:
 The political party with which I most closely identify does a good job of recruiting candidates for office.

- Strongly agree (4)
- Somewhat agree (3)
- Neither agree nor disagree (2)
- Somewhat disagree (1)
- Strongly disagree (0)

Q43 How much do you support **increasing** the following in Oklahoma?

	A great deal (3)	A fair amount (2)	Not very much (1)	Not at all (0)
Educational spending (Q43_spend)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teacher pay (Q43_pay)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q44 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

	Strongly agree (3)	Somewhat agree (2)	Somewhat disagree (1)	Strongly disagree (0)
Most Latinos in our country today want to adopt American customs and way of life. (Q44_adopt)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Even after several generations in America, Latinos continue to have a tendency to get involved in gangs and organized crime. (Q44_gangs)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Latinos don't value education and often times end up dropping out of high school. (Q44_dropout)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q45 Have you ever experienced sexual harassment at work?

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Not sure (9)